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Dear Ms. WILLIS:

In the above referenced United States Patent Application a Paper No. 5 entitled "ON

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box DAC, Washington, D.C. 20231, Attention: E. Shirene WILLIS, Senior Petitions Attorney on the date indicated below:

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February 4, 2003 Date PETITION" dated January 22, 2003 has been received by this office. A Petition filed under 37 CFR 1.181 has been GRANTED. The Petition filed under 37 CFR 1.53(e) is DISMISSED. The Petition filed under 37 CFR 1.53(e) cannot be granted until seven (7) sheets of original drawing figures (Figs. 1 - 9) are received by the Office of Petitions.

Pursuant to the instructions of Ms. E. Shirene WILLIS, Senior Petitions Attorney drawings were previously forwarded to her attention via facsimile copier. As stated in 37 CFR 1.6(d)(4) drawings may not be submitted via facsimile.

At this time the Application File is being retained in the Office of Petitions awaiting seven (7) sheets of drawing figures. Enclosed herewith are seven (7) sheets of original drawing figures (Figs. 1 - 9) as requested by the Office of Petitions.

It is requested that upon receipt of the original drawing figures the Application file be forwarded to the Examining Corps division of PTO for prosecution to begin.

Courtesy, cooperation and skill of Senior Petitions Attorney E. Shirene WILLIS are

hereby acknowledged.

Respectfully,

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Enclosure: Seven (7) Sheets of Drawing Figures (Figs. 1 - 9)

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